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Sarah A. Thornton, Clerk
United States District Court
John J. Moakley U.S. Courthouse
1 Courthouse Way
Boston, MA 02110

Re: Washington International Insurance Co.
vs. Artek Builders, Inc.
No. 05CV-10437GAO

Dear Ms. Thornton:

Pursuant to the Order of this Court dated June 7, 2006, Judge George J. O'Toole, Jr. presiding, counsel for defendant herewith submits a report on the status of alternate dispute resolution proceedings.

No ADR conference has taken place as of the present date. However, this Court has scheduled a mediation hearing to be held on October 10, 2006 at 9:30 A.M. in Courtroom 14 before Magistrate Leo T. Sorokin. A supplementary report shall be filed with the Court upon the conclusion of this mediation hearing.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Very truly yours,

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Enclosure

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